

## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

**CONVEYANCE CHARGES** - Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Travelling Allowance) Rules - Recommendation of Ninth Pay Revision Commission - Orders - Issued.

## FINANCE (TA) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 107

Dated: 07 -04 -2010 Read the following:

- 1. G.O.Ms.No.630, Finance and Planning (FW:TA) Department, dated:08-09-2004.
- 2. G.O.Ms.No.665, Finance and Planning (FW:TA) Department, dated:07-10-2004.
- 3. G.O.Ms.No.269, Finance (TA) Department, dt.15.10.2005.
- 4. G.O.Ms. No.73, Finance (TA) Department, dt.2.4.2007.
- 5. G.O.Ms. No.17, Finance (TA) Department, dt.21.1.2008.
- 6. G.O.Ms.No.52, Finance (PC-I) Department, dated:25.02.2010.

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#### **ORDER:**

According to Rule 51 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Travelling Allowance) Rules, 1996 "No journey is reckoned as a journey on tour that does not reach a point outside a radius of more than eight kilometers from headquarters. But a Government employee traveling on duty within eight kilometers of his headquarters, is entitled to recover the actual amounts which he may spend in payment of ferry and other tolls and fares for journeys by railway or other public conveyance."

- Note: (i) When a journey by public conveyance is not possible within the twin cities of Hyderabad and Secunderabad, Government employee may claim actual charges incurred subject to the limit of Re.1.00 per kilometer and Rs.6.25 ps each way. However, in the case of journeys by Government employees to go to the Andhra Pradesh High Court, Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal and other Courts and to the Government Pleaders' offices, the maximum amount permissible is Rs.20/- per day.
  - (ii) The payment of Conveyance charges is not admissible for attending office early and staying late and also for attending office on holidays.
- 2. In the Government Order first read above, orders were issued for payment of conveyance charges to Court Masters/Personal Secretaries to the Hon'ble Judges of High Court of Andhra Pradesh at the rate of Rs.50/- for each trip subject to a maximum of Rs.2,000/- per month. In the Government Order second read above,

Amendment Orders were issued implementing the aforesaid orders with effect from 17-07-2003.

- 3. In the Government Order third read above, orders were issued for implementing the recommendation of PRC, 2005 for Conveyance Charges.
- 4. Subsequently, in the Government order fourth read above, orders were issued for payment of conveyance charges to Court Masters / Personal Secretaries to the Hon'ble Judges of High Court of Andhra Pradesh at the rate of Rs.75/- per trip with an outer limit of Rs.3,000/- per month for visiting the residences of Hon'ble Judges on official work. The same was extended to the Court Masters / Personal Secretaries to the Hon'ble Chairman / Vice Chairman and Members of A.P.A.T. in the Government orders fifth read above.
- 5. Based on the recommendations of Ninth Pay Revision Commission, orders were issued implementing the Revised Pay Scales 2010 to the State Government Employees vide Government Order sixth read above.
- 6. The Ninth Pay Revision Commission, has reviewed the payment of conveyance charges to the Government Servants for the journeys performed by them in the twin cities of Hyderabad and Secunderabad on official duty and for visiting the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh and Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal and other Courts and the offices of the Government Pleaders' for official purposes. Taking into consideration the recent orders issued by the Government, the PRC recommended for enhancement of the present ceiling in respect of journeys to Andhra Pradesh High Court/Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal/Government Pleaders' office from Rs.40/- to Rs.50/- for each trip and from Rs.15/- to Rs.25/- each way in respect of other journeys made in Hyderabad and Secunderabad.
- 7. After careful examination of the matter, Government having accepted the recommendations of 9<sup>th</sup> Pay Revision Commission, hereby order that:
  - i) When a journey by public conveyance is not possible within the twin cities of Hyderabad and Secunderabad, Government employee may claim actual charges incurred subject to the limit at Rs.1.50 per kilometer subject to maximum of Rs.25/- each way.
  - ii) In the case of journeys by Government employees to go to the Andhra Pradesh High Court, Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal and other Courts and to the Government Pleaders' Offices, the maximum amount permissible to Rs.50/- per each trip subject to a ceiling of 20 trips per month or a maximum of Rs.1000/- per month.
- 8. In respect of the Court Masters / Personal Secretaries to the Hon'ble Judges of High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hon'ble Chairman / Vice Chairman and Members of A.P.A.T. for their visits made to the residences of Hon'ble Judges, Hon'ble Chairman and Members on official work they are eligible to be paid at the rate of Rs.90/- for each trip with an outer limit of Rs.3600/- per month.

- 9. The rates prescribed in this Order will be effective from 01.04.2010 i.e., for the journeys performed on or after 01.04.2010.
- 10. Necessary amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Travelling Allowance) Rules shall be issued in due course.
- 11. The G.O. is available on Internet and can be accessed at the address <a href="http://www.aponline.gov.in">http://www.aponline.gov.in</a> and <a href="http://www.apfinance.gov.in">http://www.apfinance.gov.in</a>

### (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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